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APPLICATION

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APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Attorney Docket No.: 25289

Federal Way, Washington 98063

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Transmitted herewith for filing under 37 C.F.R. § 1.53(b) by Express Mail is the complete patent application of **Jack G. Winterowd** of Puyallup, Washington, **Roger M. Schantz** of Enumclaw, Washington, **Daniel V. Hanson** of Auburn, Washington, and **Michael N. Taylor** of Tacoma, Washington, entitled **PROCESS FOR MAKING ENGINEERED LIGNOCELLULOSIC-BASED PANELS**.

- X   1. An application consisting of 19 pages of specification, including the claims and the Abstract of the Disclosure, is attached.
- X   2. A newly executed Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney is attached.
- X   3. An Assignment of the invention to Weyerhaeuser Company is enclosed, together with a Recordation Cover Sheet in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 3.31.
- X   4. An Information Disclosure Statement and published references are enclosed.

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	Number Filed		Number Extra		Rate		
Basic Fee							750
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Independent Claims	2 - 3	=	0	x	84	=	0
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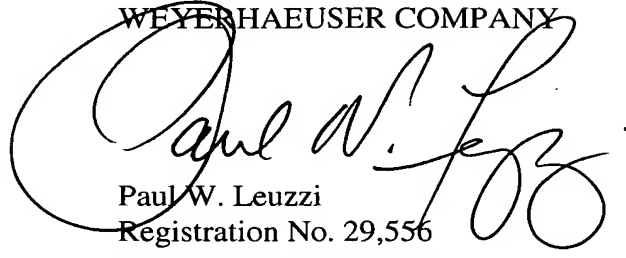
- X   5. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the application fee of **\$750.00** and any fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16, 1.17 and 1.18 which may be required during the entire pendency of the application, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. **23-1480**. This authorization also hereby includes a request for any extensions of time of the appropriate length required upon the filing of any reply during the entire prosecution of this application. A copy of this document is enclosed.
- X   6. A filing date in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.10 is requested. The Express Mail Certificate appears below.

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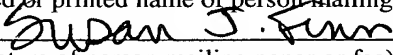
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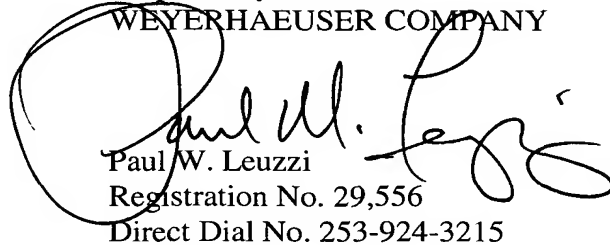
- X   1. Information Disclosure Statement.
- X   2. List of 53 references.
- X   3. Copies of 4 references.
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